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## **RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 26, 2005, Applicants submit the following remarks.

## <u>REMARKS</u>

Applicants respectfully traverse and request reconsideration.

Claims 1-21 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over Storm in view of Jou. The Storm reference is owned by the same Assignee as the current application and was owned by the same Assignee at the time of the invention of the current application (see for example, Assignment of instant application to Motorola Inc. on Reel/Frame 014617/0920). Accordingly, Applicants respectfully submit that the rejection is believed to be improper under 35 U.S.C. §103(c).